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In re Application of
Sukhdeep Samra

Application Number 09/665,721 Filed 09/18/2000

For
System and Method for Dynamic Autocropping of Images

Art Unit 2676 Examiner Tam D. Tran

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b)) \$330.00

Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: _____

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I am the

applicant/inventor.

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See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

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Jeffery Scott Heilesen, Reg. No. 46,765
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TRANSMITTAL FORM

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		Filing Date	September 18, 2000
		First Named Inventor	Sukendep Samra
		Art Unit	2676
		Examiner Name	Tam D. Tran
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

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Deposit Account Number 02-2666

Deposit Account Name Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & Zafman LLP

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee	
1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee	
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee	
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)		(\$)			330.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
56	56*	0	\$0.00
4	4*	0	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent			

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20	
1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3	
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid	
1204	86	2204	43	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205	18	2205	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
SUBTOTAL (2)		(\$)			0.00

*or number previously paid, if greater. For Reissues, see below

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

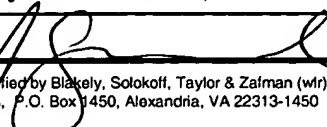
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	1051	130		2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
	1052	50		2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
	2053	130		2053	130	Non-English specification	
	1812	2,520		1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
	1804	920*		1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
	1805	1,840*		1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
	1251	110		2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
	1252	420		2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
	1253	950		2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
	1254	1,480		2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
	1255	1,210		2255	605	Extension for reply within fifth month	
	1404	330		2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
	1402	330		2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
	1403	290		2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
	1451	1,510		2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
	1452	110		2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
	1453	1,330		2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
	1501	1,330		2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
	1502	480		2502	240	Design issue fee	
	1503	640		2503	320	Plant issue fee	
	1460	130		2460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
	1807	50		1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
	1806	180		1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
	8021	40		8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
	1809	770		1809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
	1810	770		2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
	1801	770		2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
	1802	900		1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify)							

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